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On March 25, mission delivered reftel demarche's points in a non-paper to Ms. Abida Islam, Director, America & Pacific Wing, Ministry of Foreign Affairs for determination of the appropriate office to address this issue. On March 30, Econoff confirmed with Ms. Islam that this non-paper has been forwarded to the Multilateral Economic Affairs Wing of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Post will report on any substantive developments.  
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